



Swift ready to launch Nov. 17 from CCAFS

▲ **ELV Update:** The Swift spacecraft was moved to Launch Pad 17-A at Cape Canaveral Air Force Station (below) and mated to the



Boeing Delta II second stage. The fairing is being fitted on Friday. Liftoff is targeted for a one-hour launch window opening at 12:09 p.m. EST Nov. 17.

▲ Spaceport Safety & Health Day Feedback and Suggestions Wanted:

Thanks to all who participated in the 2004 Super Safety and Health Day (SSHD). To help design next year's event, please complete the online questionnaire (<http://www.unitedspacealliance.com/apps/safetysurvey/>) and share your opinions about what you thought of this year's SSHD. It only takes a few minutes and your feedback and recommendations are important.

■ **Navajo Code Talkers To Visit KSC** — In observance of National American Indian Heritage Month, the Kennedy Space Center Native

American Intertribal Council is hosting an educational event featuring World War II Navajo code talkers. Following the presentation, a code talker will allow for a question and answer session. Also attending the event will be Southern Sun Drum from North Carolina.

The event is being held in the O&C Mission Briefing room, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. Nov. 18.

Also, throughout the month, a video presentation of "True Whispers - Navajo Code Talkers" will be aired on local KSC TV, channel 7, as follows: Tuesdays on Nov. 9, 11, 16, 18, 23 and 30; and Thursdays on Nov. 4, 11, 18 and 25. Air times are 9 a.m. for first shift and 5 p.m. for second shift. Third shift employees can request from the Press Site a VHS/DVD to view and return.

For more information, please contact Gisele Altman at 867-4000, or e-mail gisele.altman-1@nasa.gov.

■ Call for Nominations for Women's Engineer of Year Awards

— The Space Coast Section of the Society of Women Engineers announces a call for nominations for the Outstanding Woman Engineer of the Year and the Distinguished New Engineer of the Year awards for the Space Coast area. These awards will be presented at the annual Space Coast Women Engineer of the Year Awards Banquet to be held March 3,

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at Rockledge Country Club. Women engineers working or residing in Brevard, Indian River or Volusia Counties are eligible to be nominated for these awards.

If you know a woman who is outstanding in her profession, contact Patricia Ruddell at 861-0109, or e-mail patricia.ruddell-1@ksc.nasa.gov. You may also visit the SWE Space Coast Web site (<http://www.swe-sc.org/>) for a copy of the nomination form. Nominations must be postmarked by Feb. 9.

■ **Massage Therapy** — Massages are available 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Tuesday – Friday at \$20 for a half-hour session until Dec. 31. Gift certificates are also available. Call Valerie Jaramillo, LMT #19362, at 867-4762 or send an e-mail to JaramVS@kscems.ksc.nasa.gov.



■ Have you thanked a veteran today? These words open a message from The Honorable

Anthony J. Principi, Secretary of Veterans Affairs. It goes on: "We are blessed, as Americans, to live in a nation gifted with rights and freedoms envied the world over. Those rights and freedoms did not come cheaply. Have you thanked a veteran today?" Read the entire message at <http://www1.va.gov/vetsday/docs/VeteransDayMsg2004.doc>.